

Nurse Aide Specialist

Certificate

(Code: EVCNA)

The Nurse Aide Specialist certificate prepares students with knowledge and skills to begin a career in a health occupation field. Beginning with successful completion of a background check, Phase I meets federal regulations of OBRA Act of 1987. This course has an emphasis to provide safe, effective care for residents in long-term care. Upon completion of the first course, there is state testing available at additional cost that allows employment in long-term care and meets entrance requirements of MCC/ECC Practical Nursing program. Phase II emphasizes knowledge, attitudes and skills necessary for providing care in the acute care setting. CPR/First aid is needed before enrolling in Phase II.

Program Requirements	Credit Hours
HSC166 Health Occupations Preparations	1
HSC172 Nurse Aide	3
HSC175 Nurse Aide Phase II	3.5
Total	7.5
Total Required Hours	7.5